

# ARIZONA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PARTNERSHIP RECIDIVISM REDUCTION WORKING GROUP June 13, 2018 4:00 p.m.

Governor's Tower 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room B Suite 230 1700 West Washington St., Phoenix, Arizona 85007

A general meeting of Arizona Substance Abuse Partnership Working Group (ASAP Work Group) convened on June 13, 2018 in the Governor's Tower 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room B Suite 230, 1700 West Washington St., Phoenix, Arizona 85007, notice having been duly given. Present and absent were the following members:

Members Present (5)	
Michael Mitchell, Chair	
Charles Ryan	
Larry LaVeque	
Mark Hendershot	
Sam Burba	
Staff/Guests Present (3)	Members Absent (2)
Kerry Hyatt, ADC	Kathy Waters
Bobby Gordon, ASU	Sam Burba
Tyler Godbehere, MCAO Legal Intern	
Ethan Van Allen, ASU Masters Program Student	

## Call to Order

Mr. Mitchell, Chair, called the meeting to order at 4:06 p.m. with five (5) members present.

## Welcome/Introductions\*

Mr. Mitchell confirmed a quorum.

# Review of Packet and Agenda\*

Mr. Mitchell reviewed the agenda with members and guests.

## Approval of Minutes\*

- Mr. Mitchell requested a review of the April 11, 2018 meeting minutes.
- Mr. Hendershot moved to approve the minutes. Mr. Ryan seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

## **Grant Progress Update**

- Ms. Hyatt introduced ASU Associate Director and Professor Bobby Gordon.
- Ms. Hyatt and Prof. Gordon updated the Work Group on the progress of the grant.
- **Prof. Gordon** told the Work Group that ASU would perform a SWAT analysis and use the OPII model to build the coalitions in 4-5 counties.
- Ms. Hyatt and Prof. Gordon stated there would be a strategic plan for the county coalitions, and approximately 8-10 reentry summits.
- Ms. Hyatt described plans for progress over summer, including a site visit or meeting with Technical Advisor Andrea Lee from the Council of State Governments.
- Mr. Ryan updated the group on the 3 second chance centers in Arizona, which have helped approximately 1100 high risk inmates obtain identification or driver's licenses and AHCCS benefits prior to release.
- Mr. Ryan offered to present a powerpoint and video from the Western Directors meeting with the Work Group in Aug.

## **Future Meeting Date**

Group agreed next meeting will be Wednesday, August 15, 2018, at 4 p.m.

## **Future Agenda Items**

- Mr. Ryan's presentation and video.
- Mr. Mitchell asked group members to make contact with counterparts in 5 counties identified for coalitions and ask if they are willing to join coalition.

#### Call to the Public\*

- Mr. Mitchell asked for any comments from the public.
- Mr. Van Allen asked about juvenile recidivism and noted from his experience that less 50 were adjudicated as adults in Tucson. The Work Group briefly discussed juvenile recidivism.

## Adiourn\*

- Mr. Mitchell moved to adjourn. Mr. Hendershot seconded. The motion unanimously passed.
- Mr. Mitchell adjourned the meeting at 4:59 p.m.

Dated the 9th day of August, 2018
Arizona Substance Abuse Partnership Working Group
Respectfully Submitted By:
Michael Mitchell
Special Assistant to the Chief Deputy of the Maricopa County Attorney's Office